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Agadir Toll 12,000, Including 2,000 Jews

AGADIR (Reuter). — Twelve thousand persons, among them 2,000 foreigners, were killed in the earthquake which shattered this port city last Monday, according to provisional figures issued yesterday by an official spokesman.

Another slight tremor shook the port yesterday afternoon — the third in 12 hours. It was followed 45 minutes after by a waterspout two miles out to sea, and ships changed course to avoid it.

The spokesman said that of the 2,000 Moroccans killed, an estimated 1,500 were from the city Jewish community.

King Mohammed drove into the centre of the quarantined city yesterday to watch the work of disinfection squads in the ruins. He drove in a convoy that was carefully dusted with disinfectant on entering and on leaving.

None of the party left the cars as they inspected the dead city, in some places scattered so thickly with quicklime that it resembled fields covered with snow. The streets were occupied only by troops, disinfection and demolition teams in special suits and close-fitting hats and masks.

There are some buildings under which people may still be alive. On Saturday, Crown Prince Moulay Hassan told reporters that it was not yet absolutely certain everybody under the rubble was dead. Engineers believed there was a possibility of some being trapped in air pockets under masonry, and the search for survivors was being renewed. Five thousand victims have already been buried in mass graves outside the city.

It was announced in Rabat that the reconstructed city would bear the name New Agadir.

(Jewish Survivors—p. 3, col. 2-3)

Bonn Urged to Cut Ties with Guinea

BONN (Reuter).—A spokesman of the ruling Christian Democratic Party's parliamentary group said yesterday West Germany should consider breaking diplomatic relations with Guinea.

This statement followed Saturday's announcement in East Berlin of the establishment of diplomatic relations between Guinea and East Germany. Guinea thus became the first non-Communist country to recognize East Germany.

The spokesman said his party regarded the establishment of relations between the two countries as "an extremely unfriendly act towards the Federal Republic, which is all the more remarkable because it happened immediately before the summit conference."

Yesterday's announcement aroused immediate speculation in Bonn about how Bonn would react in view of the so-called "Hallstein doctrine" whereby West Germany considers it an unfriendly act if a government with whom she has diplomatic relations recognizes East Germany.

It was under this doctrine that West Germany broke off diplomatic relations with Yugoslavia in October, 1957, four days after President Tito's recognition of East Germany.

New 5-Party Cyprus Parley Seen Likely

NICOSIA (Reuter). — Political sources close to the negotiators of the prolonged Anglo-Cypriot talks here believe that a new five-party conference on Cyprus is becoming inevitable.

Although considerable detail has been covered during the 10-day discussions, the trend of progress has been slight, and there is no prediction when the talks may end.

Neither can any of the parties say whether there are firm prospects of complete agreement on outstanding issues in the talks between Mr. Julian Amery, the British Colonial Under-Secretary, and the Cypriot leaders.

Archbishop Makarios Saturday announced some progress at the latest meeting on civil administration within British sovereign areas, but warned that it was premature to suppose that a settlement was imminent. Two more meetings are to be held today.

As the talks drag on, the possibility of a new conference of Britain, Greece and Turkey, in addition to the Greek and Turkish Cypriots, is seen by sources close to the negotiators as growing.

Opinion is reported to be divided, however, on where such a conference might take place. There seemed to be support for a meeting in a neutral country such as Switzerland.

Nepalese Premier Off to Peking

KATMANDU, Nepal (Reuter). — Prime Minister Koirala left for Burma yesterday, on his way to Peking, where he has been invited by the Communist Chinese Government.

The Premier said he will seek an unequivocal declaration from China recognizing the present boundary between Nepal and Chinese-ruled Tibet.

In a message to the nation, Mr. Koirala said he hoped his visit to the Chinese capital would further friendship between the two countries.

He will spend two days in Rangoon on a State visit to Burma before going on to Peking.

U.S. Filibusters Resume Talking Today

WASHINGTON (Reuter). — Weary senators were able to catch some sleep on Saturday when the Senate adjourned its filibustered debate on Negro civil rights until today. The debate has lasted 125 hours — non-stop, except for one 15-minute break.

Eighteen Southern senators have been keeping up the round-the-clock debate in an effort to stave off a vote.

Despite the adjournment there was every prospect that the struggle of endurance would resume tomorrow and continue well into the week.

Short of surrender by one side or the other — and this seemed unlikely—there were only two ways of bringing the filibuster to an end: by means of "cloture" (closure), a motion to limit debate, which would require a two-thirds majority — 67 out of the Senate's membership of 100. The other was by some means of compromise.

PERMANENT HAYESOD COUNCIL IN EUROPE

By ISRAEL NEUMANN, Jerusalem Post Correspondent

PARIS. — A decision to establish a permanent European Keren Hayesod Council, to improve coordination and cooperation in view of the increased tasks, was taken at the concluding session of the organization held in UNESCO Palace here on Sunday night.

Two hundred delegates representing Keren Hayesod throughout Europe and North Africa discussed immigration and security needs behind closed doors.

They heard a proposal to set up a World Directorate of Keren Hayesod with a seat in Jerusalem, representing all countries and intended to develop the participation of non-Zionists in work for Israel.

Mr. Eliahu Dobkin, head of the Youth and Hehalutz Department of the Jewish Agency, noted the insufficient participation of youth in the Hayesod's work in Europe. He rejected the proposal of the British delegate that the Keren Hayesod participate in raising capital for Israel.

Resolutions adopted, after Mr. Moshe Kol and Mr. Dobkin closed the debate, called for action assuring youth of effective participation in the Keren Hayesod's work.

'K' Said Meddling In Pakistani Affairs

PESHAWAR (Reuter). — Mr. Manzur Qadir, the Pakistan Foreign Minister, said yesterday that remarks made by Mr. Nikita Khrushchev in support of Afghanistan's claim to Pushtoonistan were "unfortunate" and "interference in Pakistan's internal affairs."

"This kind of interference in our affairs is unwarranted," the Foreign Minister said.

Mr. Khrushchev suggested on his return from his Asian tour Saturday that a plebiscite should be held to see whether the Pushtoonis—the Pushtu-speaking people on Pakistan's north-west frontier — wanted independence or union with Afghanistan or Pakistan.)

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New Ghana Basic Law Calls For Republic, Strong President

ACCRA. — Prime Minister Kwame Nkrumah last night commended to the nation his proposed constitution, which would make Ghana a republic with a strong President.

Under his proposals, the President of the Republic would:

— Be commander-in-chief of the armed forces.

— Administer the civil service, with the help of a commission.

— Appoint judges.

— Have veto power over legislation, including the power to veto a bill in part.

The first President will be chosen in a plebiscite to be held next month, provided a republic is agreed to in the same vote. Subsequent elections will be held with elections to the National Assembly or on the death or resignation of the President. The National Assembly is elected for five years.

Two Main Principles

Dr. Nkrumah, in proposing the constitution in a radio broadcast on the third anniversary of Ghana's independence, said the draft constitution was keynoted by two principles: "One man, one vote," and "The unity of Africa, namely the political union of African countries."

"So deep is our faith in African unity that we have declared our preparedness to surrender the sovereignty of Ghana in whole or in part in the interests of a union of African states and territories, as soon as such a union becomes practicable," Dr. Nkrumah said.

The other chief points of the constitution included:

● Ghana would be a sovereign republic, thus abolishing the sovereignty of Britain's Queen. Ghana's relationship with Commonwealth would be a matter for sovereignty of a union of African states.

● Parliament would consist of a single chamber, the National Assembly, plus the President.

● A House of Chiefs would continue to exist for each region.

● The President would preside over an eight-man Cabinet.

No provision is made for continued membership in the British Commonwealth. But Dr. Nkrumah said he would tell the conference of Commonwealth Prime Ministers in London May 9 that Ghana wishes to remain within the Commonwealth as a republic.

The Premier said the constitution leaves no scope for "arbitrary action or for discrimination against any individual or community."

He warned that the Government was determined to suppress "intimidation, coercion, malicious rumours and violence," and to ensure a free and fair plebiscite.

President's Pledge

On taking office the President, who must be over 40 years of age, will make a declaration that he adheres to a list of principles which include:

The powers of government spring from the will of the people.

Freedom and justice should be honoured and safeguarded.

The Union of Africa should be striven for by every lawful means, and when attained should be faithfully preserved.

No person should be deprived of his property save in accordance with law.

Dr. Nkrumah, 50, is considered virtually certain to become the country's first President. He has been Prime Minister since Ghana obtained independence three years ago.

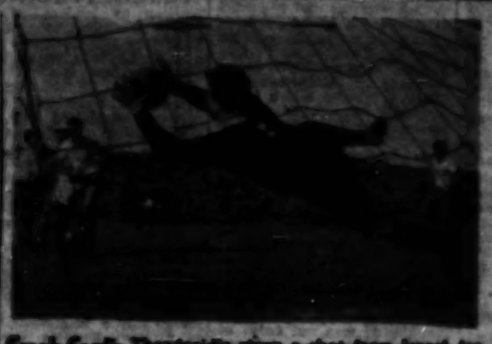
(Reuter, UPI)

Hollywood Stars Strike Today

HOLLYWOOD (Reuter). — The big studios were working overtime on Sunday in a desperate effort to finish as much filming as possible before they are shut down today by the scheduled strike of the 14,000-member Screen Actors Guild.

As the strike deadline approached, a last-minute settlement seemed unlikely. No negotiations took place.

Only Universal-International has so far agreed to the union demands that are the root of the dispute — that actors should be paid extra royalties on all films made since 1948 which have been, or are about to be, released for television showing. Stars like Marilyn Monroe and Elizabeth Taylor will stay at home in obedience to the strike call.



Greek Goalie Theodoridis stops a shot from Israel forward Stelmach on the Greek defended goal in yesterday's Olympic preliminary at the Ramat Gan Stadium, where the home team won by 2-1.
Photo by Frojdis

Second-Half Israel Rally Edges Greece, 2-1, in Olympic Game

By PAUL KOHN, Jerusalem Post Reporter

RAMAT GAN. — Forty thousand soccer fans here went wild with delight as four minutes before the end of the game, veteran football idol Yehoshua Glazer clinched a 2-1 Israel victory over Greece in an Olympic games preliminary yesterday.

A freak goal by the visitors was the only score in the first half.

It was Israel's first win at home in international soccer since she beat Turkey, 5-1, 10 years ago. It was also the first win in five encounters against Greece in the past 29 years, and Israel's first victory in the Olympic soccer tournament.

Israel is now in second place in its group behind Yugoslavia, both countries with three points in two games. Greece trails with no points from two games. Israel plays Greece again in Athens on April 2, and Yugoslavia in Belgrade on April 10.

Greeks Start Fast

What yesterday's match lacked in high-class football, it more than made up in drama. The Greeks started as the faster team. Their players always seemed to get the ball in any tackle or in the air. They took the lead in the 6th minute, the goal bringing a hush over the stadium.

From midway inside Greek territory, centre-half Lincoulis lobbed a high ball upfield into the Israel penalty area. Goal-keeper Chedoroff sprang over the heads of several defenders to get his fist to the ball, but misjudged and deflected it into his own net.

Pelekrenium, the inside-right, sparked Greek attacks on both wings, and found large gaps in the Israel defence. Only Leftwrifish at centre-half and Amar at right-half faced the onslaught calmly.

Israel Takes Control

After half an hour, the Israel eleven took control of the game for the first time. Rafi Levy and Stelmach came close to scoring, but Theodoridis, the excellent Greek goal-keeper was always in the right spot to intercept. The Israel forwards, for their part, though seeing more of the ball, were intent on pretty passing rather than shooting at goal.

The game took a decisive turn in the 30th minute when outside right Menczell equalized. From close range he sent the ball into the net through a crowd of defenders. Israel now clearly dominated the play with Amar and Menczell leading the offensive.

In the 70th minute Theodoridis dived at Glazer's feet and five minutes later saved a 20-metre drive from Amar. A couple of other shots just missed their mark. Five minutes before the end, it was at the other end that Chedoroff saved Israel twice in rapid succession. He just got his hand to one dangerous shot from three metres out, and dived full length to turn away a snap effort from only two metres out by Hotevea.

A minute later, Menczell sent a perfect pass to the unmarked Glazer in the centre of the field. Glazer ran three metres with the ball, picked his spot in the corner of the net, and drove the ball low and hard into it. Theodoridis never saw it.

Easily best for Israel in

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FAO Warns of Big Locust Invasion

ROME (Reuter). — The worst locust plague since 1954 is expected to sweep over north-west Africa this year, experts predicted on Sunday in a report of the Western African Desert Locust Control Committee of the UN Food and Agriculture Organization.

The report "strongly" recommend to Unesco from the planned defensive policy against outbreaks, to an offensive strategy against the insects at their source.

The report said that heavy spring breedings of locusts would develop in the Atlantic provinces and in territories to the north.

CONSULATE-GENERAL TO OPEN IN LAGOS

Israel is to establish a Consulate-General in Lagos, the Nigerian capital, it was announced on Sunday. The decision follows the agreement of the British Government, after consultations with the Nigerian Federal Government.

Nigeria, which is at present a British colony, is due to receive independence on October 1.

Explanation From De Gaulle Wanted

PARIS (Reuter). — President de Gaulle, week-ending in his country home at Colombey-les-Deux-Eglises after his flying visit to Algeria, is faced with an urgent demand from the Socialist Party for clarification of his Algerian policy.

The Socialists, and the entire left-wing of French politics, are alarmed at statements Gen. de Gaulle made in addresses to Army officers during his three-day tour of military posts in Algeria which ended Saturday night.

At numerous points during his tour of Algeria, Gen. de Gaulle said he had given up hope that the insurgents would lay down their arms and insisted that the Algerian problem can only be settled after a victory of French arms. A settlement would take a long time.

The interpretation given in Algiers to the General's statements in the field has heartened the Army, encouraged many Europeans who consider them a guarantee that they will not have to quit Algeria, and left "diehard" settlers still suspicious.

M. Guy Mollet, Socialist leader, told a public meeting at Marquise, northern France, Saturday night that he did not believe reports of what General de Gaulle allegedly said in Algiers because it was "in total contradiction" with what the General had told him.

Majali Raps U.A.R. Anti-Jordan Drive

Premier Majali said yesterday that the renewed U.A.R. press and radio attacks against King Hussein and Jordan would only result in weakening the Arab front.

In a statement issued by Amman Radio, Majali declared he was at a loss to understand the reason for the recent campaign of vituperation, which he termed as "vile." If necessary, he added, Jordan alone would bear the brunt of defending Arab unity.

The Premier said he would make a statement shortly on the renewed U.A.R. campaign as well as the recent Arab League Council discussion on Palestine.

Castro Implies U.S. Sabotage

HAVANA (Reuter). — Premier Fidel Castro delivered a sharp attack on the U.S. here on Saturday night and implied that American officials were responsible for the "sabotage" of a French munitions ship which blew up in Havana harbour on Friday.

More than 70 persons are reported to have been killed and about 350 injured in the explosion of the 4,216-ton freighter, La Coubre, carrying Belgian arms for the Cuban Government.

Addressing thousands of people at the mass burial of victims, Dr. Castro claimed that the ship had been sabotaged abroad. U.S. Officials, by using their "powerful international influence" had repeatedly tried to stop Cuba from "receiving that shipment of arms," he asserted.

He alleged that the U.S. Consul and the Military Attache in Brussels had tried to bring pressure to bear on the Belgian Government not to sell arms to Cuba.

(In Washington, the State Department categorically denied the charges of complicity in the explosion, and a spokesman said the U.S. would make a vigorous protest against this "unfounded and irresponsible accusation.")

Ike Returning To Washington Today

SAN JUAN, Puerto Rico (Reuter). — President Eisenhower on Sunday went to the Dorado Beach Country Club for 18 holes of golf in the sun. On Saturday he still had a husky throat but he hopes to shake this off by the time he returns to Washington today.

He plans to make an early report on his Latin-American tour over television.

Bonn Spokesman Denies Plan For Diplomatic Ties with Israel

BONN (INA). — The Government of Chancellor Adenauer has no intention of establishing diplomatic relations with Israel at this time, since such a step might help "deteriorate" the situation in the Mid-East.

This statement was made here Saturday by Mr. Hilger von Scherpenberg, who as State Secretary for Foreign Affairs is the top official under Foreign Minister von Brentano.

At a press conference with five U.N. correspondents visiting here, including an INA representative and a representative of the Arab press, Mr. von Scherpenberg, answering a question about West German relations with countries in the Middle East, said his country is in a "frankly delicate position" in that region.

He pointed out that Germany has had very friendly relations with Middle East peoples for 100 years regardless of two world wars.

'Debt of Honour'

The Federal Republic of Germany, he said, owes a very strong debt of honour to Israel. Towards Israel, he said, the Government must show it is ready and willing to pay that "debt of honour." On the other hand, he said, Germany does not want to endanger Middle East peace by grading the Arab states.

He denied reports cited by the Arab correspondent in the effect that the Adenauer Cabinet recently plans to put on the Cabinet agenda today (Monday) the question of establishing diplomatic relations with Israel. The Bonn Government, he said, will not do so if such relations involve the risk of deterioration in the general situation in the Middle East. Such a step, he said, would be neither in the interests of Germany, of Israel, nor the Arab states.

Greater Confidence

Germany, he continued, is only concerned with doing nothing that would contribute to a "deterioration in the Near East," and one of Germany's policies is to bring about greater confidence between the states in the area and Europe.

That policy, he said, relates equally to Israel and the Arab states.

Mr. von Scherpenberg revealed in speaking of West Germany's friendly relations with the Arab states, that his Government is about to extend "very large-scale" aid to Jordan. He had just been visited previously by Bahjat Talhouni, Jordan's Chief of Cabinet and personal representative of King Hussein.

He said the Bonn Foreign Ministry is preparing for investment aid to Jordan — an distinct from economic assistance — and this investment will be on a "very large" scale.

B-G Reports to Cabinet On Plans During Tour

Preparation In N.Y. Completed

NEW YORK (INA). — Preparations were completed on Sunday for the arrival of Prime Minister Ben-Gurion for a week's stay in the U.S. during which he is expected to meet in Washington with President Eisenhower and Secretary of State Christian Herter.

Mr. Ben-Gurion is to receive an honorary degree from Brandeis University at Waltham, Mass. The Prime Minister will fly from Israel direct to Boston on Tuesday.

Should weather conditions not permit his landing in Boston, he will arrive in New York and proceed immediately to Boston. Upon his landing he will issue a brief non-political statement.

In Boston he will rest for the day and will proceed early the next morning to the Brandeis campus to have breakfast with the faculty of the University.

The convocation at which he will be awarded the honorary degree will start at 11 in the morning. Mr. Ben-Gurion's lecture at the ceremony is expected to last about 45 minutes. Soon after lunch he will leave Boston for Washington.

The remainder of the schedule of Mr. Ben-Gurion's visit will be announced from day to day, Israel officials said yesterday.

Syro-Israel Clash 'Serious'—Izvestia

MOSCOW (Reuter). — The Soviet Government newspaper, "Izvestia," said in an article on Sunday that the latest clash on the Syrian-Israel border was "not a minor, insignificant skirmish, but a serious clash."

The article, signed by "Observer," said Israel was armed by a war psychosis.

"Aggressive speeches and provocative announcements are made in Israel, and all these things are happening in a time of peace in a country which, as regards its size and the number of inhabitants, belongs to the small states on our earth," the article said.

It went on: "The Middle East is again being submitted to those forces which are not averse to unleashing military conflicts and complicating the international situation by dragging on to the stage the old unsettled dispute between the state of Israel and certain Arab states.

"This dispute, warmed up by the West, has already resulted in bloody clashes. Now powder smoke has covered Israel's frontier with the Syrian area of the U.A.R."

Bodies of Marauders Returned to Egyptians

Jerusalem Post Staff

SHEIK. — Israel police at the Rivat check post, at the northern end of the Gaza Strip, on Sunday afternoon handed over to the Egyptians the bodies of the three Egyptian marauders who were killed in a clash with an Israel patrol on Saturday.

The operation was supervised by senior Danish officers from the U.N. Emergency Force.

The bodies brought the tally in a three-ton truck from Beersheba, and the Egyptians, who were in civilian clothes, arrived in a jeeper which was accompanied by two U.N. vehicles.

The wounded Egyptian who was captured in Saturday's clash has been operated on in a Negev hospital and a bullet removed from his liver.

Although he has not yet been interrogated, it is known that he was the leader of the group. It is believed that he was a regular soldier in the Egyptian Army.

Takes Leave of Ministers

Jerusalem Post Political Reporter

Prime Minister Ben-Gurion yesterday took leave of the Cabinet prior to his departure for the U.S. and Britain, and reported on the various meetings planned for him with leading American and British statesmen, the U.N. Secretary-General and Jewish community leaders in both countries.

Officials close to the Premier maintain an almost complete news blackout on the exact details and actual purpose of the Prime Minister's forthcoming tour even on the eve of Mr. Ben-Gurion's departure. Government quarters in Jerusalem said premature disclosure of details concerning Mr. Ben-Gurion's visits could defeat the very purpose of his tour.

The Government Secretary said that announcements of specific meetings with political figures would be issued only after final arrangements have been made.

Not Seeking Pledge

A "New York Times" report yesterday that Mr. Ben-Gurion is expected to seek a promise of U.S. support if Israel should be invaded was firmly denied by the Government Secretary.

The Minister of Finance, Mr. Levi Eshkol, who is to be Acting Prime Minister, Minister of Defence and Minister of Posts during Mr. Ben-Gurion's absence, already presided over yesterday's Cabinet session, as the Prime Minister left after the first part of the meeting because of final preparations for his trip.

It is understood that no other aspects of Israel diplomatic activity in addition to the Prime Minister's tour were discussed by the Cabinet.

Maritime Parley

Foreign Minister Golda Meir and the Legal Adviser of the Foreign Ministry, Mr. Shabtai Rosenne, reported to the Cabinet on the forthcoming maritime conference which is to convene in Geneva on March 17. The Israel delegation is to be headed by Mr. Rosenne and it is understood that Israel is to urge that territorial water limits should not exceed six nautical miles. The decision to be adopted by the conference will mainly affect fishing rights along foreign shores, and will have no bearing on the Eilat Straits, as these are considered an international waterway.

Mrs. Meir also gave the background of the recent trial in Turkey of five Israel fishermen, and it is understood that all off-shore fishing is being made to earn their confiscated.

Mr. Abba Eban, the Minister without Portfolio, reported on the recent meeting in Geneva of the European Conference for Nuclear Research, CERN, and emphasized the value attached to Israel's contact, received by the European nations.

The Cabinet approved a draft bill which is to extend the tenure of the Religious Councils for another year. This will give single men for the preparation of new legislation to take care of the structure and organization of councils of a religious character in Israel.

Preparations for the establishment of a special Russian-by consulate to adjust conversions in Government enterprises, which had been proposed by the Minister of Finance, were also discussed at yesterday's Cabinet session.

Official Communiqué

At the weekly cabinet yesterday, the Cabinet:

Heard Prime Minister Ben-Gurion report on the subsidiary date of his forthcoming trip to the U.S. and the U.K.;

Heard Foreign Minister Golda Meir report on the problems to be discussed at the Conference on Maritime Law in Geneva on March 17;

Heard Minister without Portfolio Abba Eban report on the CERN conference and on his visits in England and Denmark, and

Approved the draft of the law extending the term of the Religious Councils by one year.

Syrians Sabotage Fishing Nets

TIBERIAS. — Syrians made 100 fishing nets out of Lake Tiberias and dumped in others during night and early morning hours, Police and Israel Defence Force patrols have not yet, may the north-eastern shore of the Lake.

The fishermen were kept off the grounds on Saturday morning owing to a storm. When they went out on Sunday, they found their nets either gone or torn.

U.N. observers carried out an investigation after a complaint was lodged with the Israel-Syrian M.A.C.

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The offices of the above group of companies will be closed all day today, Monday, March 7, 1960.

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The funeral will leave the Shaare Zedek Hospital, Haifa, today at 11 a.m.

The Board of Directors of the
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Social & Personal

The President yesterday sent a cable of condolence to the President of the Republic of Cuba, Dr. Fidel Castro, on Saturday's disaster in Havana harbour in which 75 persons were killed.

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The Foreign Minister on Friday received the French Ambassador, M. Jean Bourdelléttte.

The Foreign Minister, Mrs. Golda Meir, yesterday gave a luncheon at the Eden hotel, Jerusalem, in honour of the visiting Mexican Parliamentary delegation. Among those who attended were the Minister of Transport, Mr. Y. Ben-Aharon; the Mexican Chargé d'Affaires, Mr. H. Manjarrez; Mr. J. Velasquez Nuna; Mr. G. Garcia Rendon; Mr. Ya'acov Tsur; Mr. Y. Berlin, M.K.; Mr. M. Fischer; Mr. David Shaltiel; Mr. A. Eshel; Mr. A. Ben-David; Mr. H. Leor; Mr. S. Kapel; and Mr. A. Geffen. The Mexican Parliamentarians were last night the dinner guests, at the Eden hotel, of the Institute for Cultural Relations, Ibero-America.

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The Minister of Finance, Mr. Levi Eshkol, on Sunday received Mr. Henry Morgenthau Jr. In the afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Morgenthau met with Rabbi M. Nurock, M.K. The Morgenthaus and Dr. and Mrs. Abba Hillel Silver were the luncheon guests of the Ambassador, Mr. Ogden Reid, on Sunday.

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Chief Rabbi and Mrs. Y. Nissim on Saturday had a group of 20 J.N.F. workers from Canada in for kiddush. They also received for kiddush a group of 90 B'nai B'rith pilgrims from Canada.

The two Canadian groups yesterday visited the Hebrew University.

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Former residents of Liverpool, including Rabbi I. J. Unterman, attended a reception given in Tel Aviv on Saturday night by the Israel Office of the British Zionist Federation and by Wizo, in honour of the 90-member delegation of Jewish National Fund workers from Liverpool.

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A group of West German tourists—including five members of the Bundestag — yesterday visited Yad Vashem, where they were received by the Chairman, Dr. Aryeh Kubovy.

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Dr. Alexander Rafaeli, Managing Director of Jerusalem Pencils Ltd. and Vered Tools and Dies Industries, has left by El Al for Turkey on a business visit.

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M. Jean Schetting, essayist and actor, holder of the First Prize in Classical Tragedy and Literature of the Conservatoire de Paris, will speak on: "Les 'vrais' Romantiques français de Nerval à Apollinaire," at 6 this evening, at the Centre de Culture Française, 3 Rehov Ben Yehuda, Jerusalem. M. Christian de Saint Marie, French Consul-General in Jerusalem, will preside.

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The Kiryon Rotary Club is to be addressed by Mr. A. Gross, Director of the Mekhora Children's Home at Kfar Hassidim, on "The Rehabilitation of the Juvenile Delinquent," at 1.30 this afternoon at the Ahavah Children's Home in Kiryat Bialik.

CAUSE OF BEDUIN'S DEATH A MYSTERY

Jerusalem Post Reporter

BEERSHEBA. — The body of a 17-year-old member of the Abu Muamr Beduin tribe was brought to the Beersheba Hospital on Sunday.

The Negev Military Governor on Sunday travelled to Tel Aviv to brief Ministry of Agriculture officials on the plight of the Beduin in his area.

Police suspect that the man, Mahmud Abu Muamr, was poisoned and have arranged for a post mortem.

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Jerusalem to be Flourishing Within 4 Years, Says Mayor

By MACABEE DEAN, Jerusalem Post Reporter

A bright picture of the future of Jerusalem — a city of 200,000 within four years, with improved services and a stable and flourishing economy — was painted by Mayor Mordecai Ish-Shalom on Sunday evening in presenting the 1960/61 Ordinary Budget of IL17m. to the Council.

The budget and a 15 per cent increase in rates were approved by the coalition majority.

The Mayor based his predictions of the Capital's continuing growth on its record of the past few years — "once it had broken the yoke of stagnation."

He listed these salient features of the city's progress:

- The number of gainfully employed has risen by 30 per cent in the past four years (as compared with a 27 per cent increase in Tel Aviv) and now totals 60,000 persons, or 27 per cent of the population. The national average is 25 per cent.
- Those employed in factories and workshops constitute 29 per cent of the labour force (21 per cent in Haifa).
- There has been a 150 per cent increase in the number of persons paying rates for business premises — from 3,500 in 1948/49 to 8,000 at present — although he noted that many of them were hawkers or owners of kiosks.

More Rooms, More Air

- Since 1948, the number of rooms, excluding kitchens and services, had risen from 35,000 to 85,000; the density of population per room has dropped from 3.5 to two.
- The population had grown from 84,000 in 1948 to 162,000 — of whom 60,000 were immigrants.
- IL30m. had been spent in development projects during the past four years;
- During the past four years, 2,80 new street lamps had been installed; 65 kilometres of sewers laid; 64 kilometres of streets paved; and 25 kilometres of pavement laid.

As for the present, "we will continue the fight to increase the number of gainfully employed, to step up services, and to undertake a full-scale programme of rehabilitating slum areas."

He noted that public and private building were at an all-time high, and that there is "almost full employment."

Austerity Budget

Turning to the IL17m. budget itself, he said that although it was more than IL3.5m. above the current one, it was "still an austere one, which falls short of meeting the needs of Jerusalem as the capital of Israel, or the requirements of the residents themselves."

The budget must be balanced, and IL750,000 had to be raised by increasing householders' rates. The increase would range from IL1,600 to IL8 a room, depending on the district and type of building.

Mayor Ish-Shalom noted that the additional IL3.5m. would be spent as follows: education, culture, social welfare, religious needs, water and services, IL1,650,000; payment of debts, IL1m.; and salaries, IL1m.

He said that even with IL1m. going to pay off debts, the city would have a debt of IL11m. by the end of the current fiscal year, or IL74 for each resident.

Staff Questions

As for the Municipal staff, he welcomed increased efficiency during the past few years, but noted that "I would be misleading you if I did not stress that the workers still leave much to be desired."

Speaking for the opposition, Mr. A. Axelrod (Herut) declared that much of the increased budget would have to go for salaries to a Municipal staff which had grown from 900 to 1,500 in the past four years. He charged, moreover, that the city planned to raise considerable funds by increasing property assessments, though without raising the tax scales.

Dr. P. J. Jacobi (Progressives) said that the city was allocating IL10,000 to a yeshiva whose only distinction was that instruction was in Yiddish.

Cinemas

JERUSALEM

ARNON: Magit Perioalose ("Nice to be a Bachelor").
EDEN: The Journey.
ORION: Du rifle chez les femmes.
OR-GIL: Lonely hearts.
ORNA: The 30-Foot Bride of Candy Rock.
RON: Le long des trottoirs.
SEMADAR: La ist. (Evenings).
ZION HALL: The Geisha Boy.
TEL OR: La soif des espions.
EDISON: Days of Glory.
STUDIO: Wuthering Heights.

TEL AVIV

ALLENBY: Ciao, Ciao, Bambina.
ARMON DAVID: Auntie Mame.
CHEN: The Big Country.
EDEN: Kanlariyla Ödediler.
ESTHER: North by Northwest.
GAT: Les quatres cents coups.
HOD: Marisi in Citta ("Good to be Married").
MAXIM: Gain Goette.
MIGDALOR: La Chatte sort ses griffes.
MOGRABI: Babette Goes to War.
OPHIR: That Kind of Woman.
ORION: The Young Philadelphians.
PEER: Piccoli.
SHDEROTH: Mon oncle.
TAMAR: Juvenile Passions.
TCHELET: Silk Stockings.
TEL AVIV: Five Gates to Hell
YARON: This Earth is Mine.
ZAFON: I want to live.
ZAMIR: Le dos au mur.

HAIFA

ORAH: La Chatte sort ses griffes.
AMPHITHEATRE: Beloved Infidel.
ATZMON: Some Came Running.
MIRON: Carry On Sergeant.
ARMON: Orfeu Negro.
EN DOR: The Story of G.I. Joe.
ORLY: A Woman Obsessed. (Evenings).
MORIAH: The Wind Cannot Read. (Evenings).
GALOR: Guns, Girls, and Gangsters. (Evenings).
PEER: It Happened to Jane.
TAMAR: The Poleface.
ORION: The Duel at Silver Creek.
MAY: Ice Cold in Alex.

LOCAL MUSICIANS FOR U.S. BALLET

Jerusalem Post Reporter

TEL AVIV. — The use of imported music, either "live" or recorded, to accompany the American Festival Ballet during its performances here this summer, will be vigorously opposed by the Histadrut, the Labour Council has informed the press.

The musicians section of the Labour Council has appealed to the International Musicians Association, situated in Switzerland, to prohibit the American ballet company from using recorded music instead of local players.

A spokesman for the Israel association said that its American counterpart had informed the bureau in Switzerland that the ballet had not been granted permission to use taped accompaniments on its Israel tour.

Israelis into Canadians

OTTAWA (INA) — Almost 1,600 Israelis were granted Canadian citizenship during the past three years, according to a report of the Canadian Bureau of Statistics. They constitute 42 per cent of the 3,732 Israelis who immigrated into Canada between 1951 and 1958 and are eligible for Canadian citizenship.

SPURS ROB WEDNESDAY OF CHANCE FOR DOUBLE

LONDON (Reuter). — Tottenham Hotspur, who have been disappointing in recent weeks, came back to form with a bang on Saturday when they beat Sheffield Wednesday, a favoured Cup team, 4-1, in the First Division of the English Football League.

Sheffield Wednesday, tipped as Cup winners and regarded as having a good outside chance of cringing off the coveted League and Cup "double," had their hopes shattered by Cliff Jones, the Spurs' expensive Welsh international left-winger. Jones rammed in three goals to help Tottenham maintain their one-point lead at the top of the First Division.

But the win did not ease the pressure in the grim race for the championship. Wolverhampton Wanderers and Burnley, nearest rivals to Spurs, both won.

A First Division upset was the 2-0 home defeat of Preston North End by Arsenal.

Burnley's 1-0 win over Blackburn was not only of significance to the League, but also provided something of a rehearsal for the meeting of these two teams on the same ground in next Saturday's F.A. Cup quarter-final.

The Second Division is virtually a two-horse race between Cardiff and Aston Villa, both of whom won on Saturday.

Southampton improved their position as leaders of the Third Division by beating York City 3-1. They now have a lead of four points over nearest rivals Bury, who once again slipped up at home and were held to a draw by Bradford City.

Walsall, at the top of the Fourth Division, were held to a 2-2 draw at home by Workington. But their nearest rivals, Notts County, lost ground by going down 3-4 at home to Doncaster Rovers.

LEAGUE ONE

Birmingham City 4, Nottingham Forest 1; Burnley 1, Blackburn Rovers 0; Chelsea 3, Luton Town 0; Leeds United 2, Blackpool 4; Leicester City 5, Manchester City 0; Manchester United 6, Wolverhampton Wanderers 3; Newcastle United 3, Fulham 1; Preston North End 0, Arsenal 2; Tottenham Hotspur 4, Sheffield Wednesday 1; West Bromwich Albion 1, Bolton Wanderers 1; West Ham United 2, Everton 1.

LEAGUE TWO

Bristol City 2, Swansea Town 2; Cardiff City 2, Huddersfield Town 1; Charlton Athletic 3, Brighton and Hove Albion 3; Derby County 0, Sunderland 1; Hull City 1, Leyton Orient 2; Liverpool 5, Stoke City 1; Middlesbrough 0, Aston Villa 1; Plym'th Argyle 1, Portsmouth 1; Rotherham United 1, Ipswich Town 4; Scunthorpe United 3, Bristol Rovers 4; Sheffield United 3, Lincoln City 2.

LEAGUE THREE

Barnsley 1, Coventry City 0; Brentford 1, Bournemouth 0; Bury 9, Bradford City 0; Colchester United 4, Tranmere Rovers 0; Halifax Town 3, Queen's Park Rangers 1; Mansfield Town 3, Grimsby Town 2; Norwich City 4, Accrington Stanley 0; Port Vale 2, Newport County 1; Reading 3, Swindon Town 0; Shrewsbury Town 2, Chesterfield 1; Southampton 3, York City 1; Southend United 1, Wrexham 1.

LEAGUE FOUR

Bradford 1, Barrow 0; Carlisle United 0, Northampton Town 2; Chester 1, Darlington 1; Crewe Alexandra 4, Gateshead 1; Crystal Palace 1, Aldershot 1; Exeter City 1, Southport 1; Hartlepools United 0, Rochdale 1; Notts County 3, Doncaster Rovers 4; Oldham Athletic 0, Torquay United 3; Stockport County 1, Gillingham 1; Walsall 2, Workington 2; Watford 6, Millwall 2.

LEONARD WARREN, 48, FALLS DEAD ON STAGE

NEW YORK (Reuter). — Leonard Warren, 48, a leading baritone of the Metropolitan Opera House, fell dead on stage before a fashionable audience here on Friday night.

He collapsed while singing the line "O fatal pages ruling my destiny," in the second act of Verdi's "La Forza lei Destina." He was singing the role of Don Carlo. His wife and his doctor saw him fall.

The musicians stopped playing, and gasps came from the audience as the curtain was quickly dropped. The show did not go on.

Warren, who was considered one of America's foremost singers, made his debut with the company in 1939.

Tel Aviv Car Licensing Office Speeds Handling

A second set of automatic vehicle testing equipment was put into operation at the Tel Aviv Vehicle Licensing Office yesterday. The new arrangement is meant to reduce the load on existing equipment and make possible the separate testing of trucks and cars.

In an announcement issued on Friday by the Ministry of Transport, it was stated that five new cashiers' windows had been added to the five already serving the public. One additional cashier's window has also been opened specially for the renewal of driving licences.

The announcement noted that persons coming between 7-10 a.m. could expect to be received nearly immediately.

LYDDA FLIGHTS

MONDAY

ARRIVALS: El Al 496, from Istanbul — 1415. KLM 702, from Teheran — 1555. El Al 302, from Nicosia — 1540. El Al 414, from London and Rome — 2330. Sabena 537, from Brussels, Vienna and Athens — 2105. K.L.M. 527, from Amsterdam and Munich — 2110. Air France 192, from Paris and Rome — 2335.

DEPARTURES: El Al 413, to Rome, Paris and London — 0600. El Al 701, to Teheran — 0600. Swissair 333, to Athens, Geneva and Zurich — 0600. Olympic 615, to Nicosia and Athens — 0610. El Al 405, to Istanbul — 0700. Alitalia 453, to Rome — 0850. El Al 301, to Nicosia — 1530. El Al 101, to Leopoldville and Johannesburg — 2245.

Prepared by Civil Aviation Dept.

Tables in Brief

ACCIDENTS. — Road accidents in France in 1959 killed 5,494 people — 474 more than the previous year. There were 138,583 accidents during the year, injuring 177,820 people.

LOWERS. — Millions of flower seeds were carried aloft over Tokyo on Sunday by 40,000 coloured balloons as part of a campaign to cover Japan's countryside with flowers.

BORDER.—Premier Bushehwar Fraud Kotrala, of Nepal, left yesterday to visit Peking at the invitation of the Communist Chinese Government. His chief objective is to get an unequivocal declaration from China recognizing the boundary between Nepal and Chinese-ruled Tibet.

N. American Immigrants Meeting Tonight

TEL AVIV. — Mr. Abba Eban, Minister without Portfolio, will bring greetings of the Prime Minister and the Government to the opening session of the 9th annual convention of the Association of Americans and Canadians in Israel at Z.O.A. House here this evening.

Ambassadors Ogden Reid and Margaret Meagher are also scheduled to address the 400 delegates from 19 agricultural settlements and most of the cities in Israel.

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THE BAT YAM Municipality has decided to name a street in the centre of town in memory of the late Chief Rabbi Isaac Herzog.

Where to go

JERUSALEM

- Lecture:— "The Hebrew Version of Rilke's 'Duino Elegies'" — Dr. Pnina Bat-Shiloh Naveh. Introduction by Mr. Haim Toren. Beeri Club, 9 Alfasi. 8.30.
- Film Shows:— Israeli films — daily showings. Keren Hayesod Hall, 13 noon—1 p.m.
- Students' Concert:— Rubin Music Academy, 7 p.m.
- Tours:— Spend a morning with Hadassah on a conducted tour starting 9 a.m. Book for this tour by phoning 4861, Hadassah Club, Straus Health Centre. Hebrew University: Conducted tour in English, at 12 noon, daily. New University Campus. Yad Vashem — Martyrs' and Heroes' Memorial Authority, Mount of Remembrance — Conducted English tours of the buildings and exhibitions, daily 11 a.m.
- Exhibitions:— "Israel Today" — permanent exhibition, Binyanei Hauoma, 10-4 daily; Fridays 10-1. Artists House: 10-1, 4-6. Paintings by Yitzhak Greenfield, sculptures by Hanoch Ehrlich. Safrai Art Gallery, 37 Jaffa Road. Tel. 63737. Est. 1938. 3-1, 3-7. Friday 9-2. New exhibition: Oils by Lillian Levy. All purchases mailed upon request.
- Bezalel National Museum:— Permanent exhibition of Jewish Ceremonial Art. Archaeological objects. Primitive Art. Dutch and Flemish drawings from the Fodor Collection, Amsterdam. Paintings and prints from the Low Countries — Museum Collection. Bezalel Art Library: Memorial Exhibition of works by Sir Leonard Woolley. 9-1, 2.30-5. Department of Antiquities, 25 Rehov Shlomo Hamelech. Special exhibitions: New excavations at Beersheba and Eynan. Also permanent exhibition, 9-1, 3-5.
- Zoo:— Jerusalem Biblical Zoo, 9-6.

TEL AVIV

- Israel National Opera:— "La Perichole," 8.30.
- Circus:— Warsaw Circus on Kikar Malchei Yisrael, 4, 8.30.
- Variety Show:— Joselito and his Troupe. Ohel Shem, 4, 8.30.
- Italian Puppet Theatre:— Piccoli, return season. New Programme. Peer Cinema, 4, 6.45.
- Theatre:— Habimah: "Visit of the Old Lady", 8.30. Cameri, "General Quixote," 8.30. Ohel: "One More River," 8.30.
- Yiddish Musical:— "My Gal" — Benzion Witler, Shifra Lerer. Old Mograbi Hall, 8.45.
- Dine and Dance:— Delphin Bar, 16 Sholem Aleichem. Exquisite cuisine. Dancing nightly. Recommended to Tourists. Tel. 23973.
- Tourist Service:— Visit Hadassah Club, 80 Rehov Hayarkon, Tel. 22328. Wizo Club, 91 Rehov Hayarkon, Tel. 26325, 8 a.m.-2 p.m.
- Zoological Gardens:— Open 9 a.m.—6 p.m. daily.
- Exhibitions:— Annual exhibition of Israeli artists, Beit Dizengoff, 16 Rothschild Blvd., 10-1, 4-7. African Primitive Art: statuettes, masks, implements, from collection of Mr. Sam Dubinec (over 180 exhibits). Helena Rubinstein Pavilion, 10-1, 4-9. Ancient Glass Exhibition, Museum Ha'aretz, near Ramat Aviv, 10-5.
- Z.O.A. House:— Tourist Service, 9 a.m.-9 p.m. Jazz Club, 8.30.

HAIFA

- Tourist Centre:— Hadassah Club, Youth Aliya Offices, 22 Hehalutz, Tel. 67955.
- Exhibitions:— Paintings by Shmuel Rasyoni, Israel Painters & Sculptors' Association, 24 UNO Avenue, 10-1, 4-7.

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- Dine and Dance:— "Zafra" Bar-Restaurant. Excellent Italian, French, Israeli cuisine. Dancing and programme nightly.

REHOVOT

- Theatre:— Habimah: "Visit of the Old Lady," 8.30.

COMING EVENTS

HAIFA

- Lecture:— Prof. B. Akzin, on "Constitutional problems of Israel as compared with other countries." Beit Haprakliit, 12 Rehov Hassan Shukri. Auspices: Israel Political Sciences Association. 8.30 p.m.

ON THE AIR

FIRST PROGRAMME
422, 306.4 & 249 M.

News: Hebrew: 6.30, 7.00 and 7.55 a.m. 1.30, 5.00, 7.00, 9.00 and 11.00 p.m.

English: 2.00 p.m. French: 2.15 p.m.

6.30 a.m. Religious Service (R). 6.37 Exercises. 6.45 Musical Clock (R). 7.17 Morning Melodies. 8.00 Close Down.

11.00 a.m. Popular Concert: Rubinstein: Melody in F; Schumann: Piano Concerto in A-minor, opus 54 (Soloist: Soloment) Rimsky-Korsakov: Symphonette on Russian Themes. 12.00 Women's Programme. 12.30 Lunchtime Music. 1.00 Vocal Recital by Rose Sander (Soprano). At the Piano: Shmuel Serebriski. Godard, Massenet, Dvorak, Hahn, Arne, Benjamin, Lavry. 1.20 Messages to Immigrants. 1.45 Where to Go? 2.00 Close Down.

4.30 Special Foreign Language Programme. 5.05 Requests for Hebrew Songs. 5.35 Torah Lesson. 6.00 Youth Corner. 6.30 Oriental Hymn Writers. 7.20 Hebrew Songs. 7.30 The Week at the Cinema. 7.50 Announcement of Kol Yisrael Programmes. 8.00 Stanley Black & his Orchestra. 8.30 "In the Lion's Den" 8.50 Bible Reading, Yehezkel Chaps. 7 & 8. 9.15 Newsreel. 9.30 "Curtain Up!" "Weasack" by G. Buchner, produced & directed by M. Ghad. 10.30 A Glimpse at Israel. 10.35 Quiet Tunes. 10.45 The Week at the U.N. 11.10 Close Down.

SECOND PROGRAMME
468, 393, 427.5 & 33.3 M.

IMMIGRANTS' HOUR: 6.15 Polish. 6.30 News in Easy Hebrew. 7.00 French. 7.30 Yiddish. 8.00 Talmud-Lesson. 8.30 Chamber Music: Mozart's Sonatas for Violin and Piano, played by David Lein-Ben and Jerome Lewenthal. 1) Sonata in C K. 296. 2) Sonata in F. K. 377. 9.00 Ladino. 9.30 Rumanian. 9.45 Hungarian. 10.00 News in English. 10.15 Close Down.

ARABIC PROGRAMME
497 & 41.7 M.

Arabic Programme (including News): 6.30-7.15 a.m. 1.15-2.15, 5.30-11.15 p.m.

KOL YISRAEL LAGOLA (33.2 M.): Programme to the U.K.: 10.30 News. 10.40 Music. 10.50 Newsreel.

Programme to South Africa: 6.15 News. 6.25 Music. 6.35 Newsreel.

ARMY PROGRAMME (214, 328 and 235 M.): 6.00 Opening and Request Programme. 6.40 "Pleasant Tunes." 6.55 Announcements. 7.00 News. 7.10 "Bar of the Evening." 7.25 Requests for Classical Music. Works by Debussy & Verdi. 8.00 "Army's Diary." 8.30 "Hit Parade." 9.00 News. 9.15 "Merry Rhythm." 9.30 Paris Singers. 10.00 Evening Tunes. 10.30 Close Down.

B.B.C. HEBREW BROADCASTS (30.96, 35.12, 19.76, 19.68 & 16.86 M.): 7.15-7.45 p.m. News, News Comment, Meeting the People.

MUSIC U.S.A.: VOICE OF AMERICA—English Programme: 5.00 and 6.00 a.m. News, U.N. Week on 31 and 41 M.; 7.00 a.m. News, Youth Speaks or In the Author's Words on 31 and 41 M.; 8.00 a.m. News and Commentary, Report to Europe on 31, 41, 49 and 298 M.; 9.00 and 10.00 a.m. News, the American Journal on 16, 19 and 31 M.; 3.00 p.m. News, Report to South Asia on 11, 16 and 19 M.; 4.00 p.m. News and Commentary, Magazine Review on 11, 13, 16, 19 and 31 M.; 5.00 p.m. News and Commentary, Report to Near East on 16, 25 and 31 M.; 6.00 p.m. News, U.N. Week on 11, 13, 25, 31 and 41 M.; 7.00 p.m. News, Report to Near East on 13, 19 and 25 M.; 7.30 p.m. Listeners' Log on 13, 19 and 25 M.; 8.00 p.m. News, Report to Africa on 19 and 25 M.; 8.30 p.m. Forum (Chemistry) on 19 and 25 M.; 9.00 and 10.00 p.m. Special News, Music U.S.A. on 19 and 25 M.; 11.00 p.m. News, Raymond Swing Analysis, Commentators' Digest on 25, 31, 41 and 238 M.; 11.30 p.m. Forum (Chemistry) on 25, 31, 41 and 238 M.; 12.00 p.m. News, Raymond Swing Analysis, Commentators' Digest on 25, 31, 41 and 238 M.

CYPRUS BROADCASTING SERVICE — English Programme (434 & 495 M.): News: 7.30 a.m. 2.00, 7.00, 11.00 p.m.

7.45 a.m. The Coca Cola Programme. 8.00 Melodies & Memories. 8.30 Housewives' Choice. 9.00 Miniature Concert. 9.30 Strange Last Words. 9.45 Piano Playtime. 10.00 The Melody Dance Band. 10.30 Edmundo Ross. 11.00 The Final Year. 11.15 Light Music. 11.30 Women's Magazine. 12.00 Mid-day Melodies. 2.15 p.m. "The Name is Shane." 2.30 Monday Matinee. 6.45 The Lanitis Programme. 7.15 I Love a Mystery. 10.00 Confidence Man. 10.15 Stars of Song. 10.30 Pursuit.

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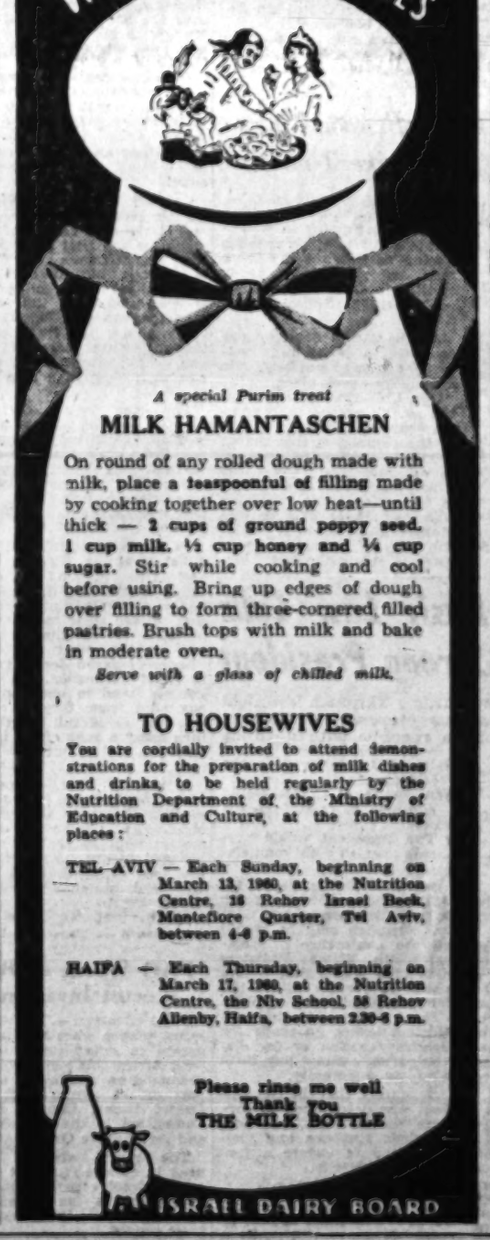

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Today's Postbag

The Weather

FORECAST: Generally partly cloudy, with probability of showers in the north which may spread to central Israel later. Risk of thunderstorms in the north and sandstorms in the Negev.

Weather Synopsis: A deep low over south Turkey and Cyprus is causing rain and thundershowers over Turkey and the north-east Mediterranean.

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Mt. Gem'an	10	6—14	5—12
Tiberias	11	11—22	10—21
Haifa Port	11	10—20	9—19
Natanya	10	10—20	9—19
Tel Aviv Kirya	11	10—21	9—20
Tel Aviv Port	11	10—19	9—19
Lydda Airport	11	6—22	6—20
Jerusalem	10	6—17	7—15
Beersheba	10	6—22	6—20
Sirat	11	13—26	11—25

* A: Humidity at 8 p.m. B) Temperature range yesterday evening. C) Temperature range forecast for last night and today.

ARRIVALS

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Lewis and Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Badeau, of Philadelphia, for a two-week visit under the auspices of the Israel Bond Organization.

Mr. Michael Lewis, Chairman of the Textile Trade Committee of the J.P.A. in the U.K., and Mrs. Lewis, for a two-week visit (by El Al).

Mr. Edward G. Markus, Chairman of the Whitley Bay, Northumberland, Zionist Society and J.N.F.-J.P.A. Committee, and a member of the Executive Council of the British Zionist Federation, for a three-week stay (by B.E.A.).

DEPARTURES

Marcel Marceau, the French mime.

Mr. Dan Gelbart, the graphic artist, for Ghana, Nigeria and French Guinea, to study the possibilities of setting up a mobile exhibition depicting Israel's economic activities (by B.E.A.).

Messrs. Ya'acov Shor, of Solel Boneh, and Eliezekh Lefer and Aryeh Sommer, to register the Israel firms operating in Eastern Nigeria and Ghana (by El Al).

Mr. Moshe Talchman, of Solel Boneh, to set up a carpentry workshop in Eastern Nigeria (by El Al).

Dr. Michael Beitan, of the Jewish Agency Economic Department, on a mission to Europe.

A CENTRAL Kupat Holim clinic, including specialized services, such as an X-Ray section, is to be set up in Tiberias at a cost of IL750,000, of which IL450,000 is to be spent this year.

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THE ANNUAL convention of the Association of Americans and Canadians in Israel opens at the Z.O.A. House in Tel Aviv today.

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THE DAILY average of those seeking employment at the Employment Service Labour Exchanges rose by 295 to 6,185 in the week ending February 28. During the same week last year, the number of unemployed was 11,540.

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17 FAMILIES from Ein Kerem demonstrated before the Jerusalem Municipality yesterday morning to press their demands for a paved approach road to, and electricity for, their homes, on the outskirts of the village. A delegation is to be received next Sunday by the Mayor or one of his deputies.

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MORE THAN three-and-a-half tons of aluminium bronze blanks to be stamped as the new agora coinage, arrived from Switzerland via Italy over the weekend.

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168 YOUTH leaders from 14 countries are participating in the 26th annual course of studies for youth leaders from abroad under the auspices of the Youth and Hehalutz Department of the Jewish Agency which opened yesterday. A group of students from North and South America have arrived for a year's study at the Rabbi Ze'ev Gold Teachers' Seminary.

South African Veteran, Avraham Levy, Dies

HAIFA. — One of the first South African investors in this country, Mr. Avraham Levy, died yesterday morning in Haifa.

He was one of the founders of the South African group of companies, which includes Peltours, the Palestine-African Cold Storage Company, Binyan Insurance Company and the Tiberias Development Company. He was also chairman of the Palestine-African Mortgage Binyan Bank. He settled in Palestine in 1924.

The funeral will leave from the Elisha Hospital in Haifa at 11 a.m. today (Monday). All offices of the South African enterprises in Israel will be closed in the morning.

'Let Jewish Survivors Of Agadir Emigrate to Israel'

Jerusalem Post Reporter

International Jewish institutions are to request King Mohammed V of Morocco to permit Jewish survivors of the Agadir earthquake to emigrate to Israel. They will also call on Morocco to restore postal communications with this country, which were recently ruptured by the Rabat Government.

This was reported yesterday by Mr. Ya'acov Tsur, of the Jewish Agency Executive, at a press conference in Jerusalem.

Mr. Tsur said the fact that Israelis were prevented from sending direct assistance to the stricken families, and that the latter were barred from communicating with their relatives here, was a measure of inhumanity "hardly thought possible in the second half of the twentieth century."

Needless to say, he added, Israel would be ready to receive and rehabilitate the Jewish survivors from Agadir. He saw no possibility of their re-integration in Moroccan life.

Mr. Tsur said it was easy to imagine the anxiety of Moroccan immigrants in this country who were unable to ascertain the fate of their relatives and friends who lived in the stricken city.

The Jewish community in Agadir had not been a large one — he believed it to have numbered some 2,500 — but it did include many relatives of Jewish families now living in Marrakesh and Casablanca who had migrated from Agadir with the decline of that city as a port.

Yarkon Nuisance To End in '10 Days'

Jerusalem Post Reporter

TEL AVIV. — Residents along the banks of the Yarkon River have been promised relief from the nuisance of the unpleasant odours within the next ten days.

The relief will come when the diversion of water for irrigation begins, stanching the seaward flow of the river and causing the refuse from the tanning factories in the vicinity of Petah Tikva — which is the main source of the stench — to collect at the Ten Mills Dam east of Ramat Gan.

These were the findings of the Yarkon Odour Committee appointed less than a fortnight ago by Mayor Mordecai Namir. They were made public at a press conference at Beit Sokolow yesterday.

For the past few months, as the river's level dropped daily owing to the drought, committees and Municipal officials have periodically promised relief from the odours.

During the next ten days, Dan Region towns would complete a storage dam diverting the flow of waste from the tanneries. This would remove the chief source of the odours all the way down the river, the committee feels.

The new sewage channel to Petah Tikva is scheduled to be completed by June or July, Mr. Shapiro reported. Bathing in the river would not, however, be recommended till next year. It is hoped that there will be enough rainfall next winter to wash away the deposits of slime and scum which have banked up along the riverside.

Memorial Service For War Fallen

A ceremony in memory of Israel soldiers whose place of burial is unknown was held yesterday at the Military Cemetery on Mount Herzl, Jerusalem, in the presence of bereaved families and the Speaker of the Knesset, Mr. Kadish Luz.

The ceremony was held on the Hebrew date of 7th Adar — the anniversary of the death of Moses, of whom the Bible says: "And no man knew his burial place."

Among those who attended the service were the Minister for Religious Affairs, Rabbi Y. Toledano; the Chief Army Chaplain, Aluf Mishne S. Goren; Mr. M. Mendes, representing the President; Mayor M. Ish-Shalom, of Jerusalem; the District Representative, Mr. S. B. Yeshaya; Dr. Yigael Yadin, former Chief of Staff; Mr. Rubin Mass, Chairman of the Public Memorial Council; and representatives of Yad Lavanim and the Soldiers' Welfare Committee.

Agadir Information Office in B'sheba

Jerusalem Post Reporter

BEERSHEBA. — An office to provide information on the Jewish victims of the Agadir earthquake was opened in Beersheba on Sunday. The originator of the idea, the local Rabbi, Chief Rabbi Mordechai Dahan, is in direct contact with the leaders of French Jewry.

It is estimated that there are several dozen Beersheba families who have relatives in Agadir.

Spending of U.J.A. Funds in U.S. Hands

Jerusalem Post Reporter

A new agency in the U.S. which will supervise the use of United Jewish Appeal funds transferred to Israel will be set up in the next few days. The agency is being set up in compliance with U.S. Treasury regulations, Mr. Ya'acov Tsur, Head of the Agency's Information Department, told the press in Jerusalem yesterday.

He said that the U.S. Treasury insists that a body raising funds for charitable purposes which wishes contributions to be tax-deductible must be a "domestic body" and that two-thirds of its board be U.S. citizens. In addition, the domestic body has to have a representative in the country where the funds were expended to see that they were used for their declared purpose.

Asked if there would be any change in allocations of U.J.A. funds here, Mr. Tsur said that certain items of expenditure — for emissaries to Europe for example — would specifically have to be financed from funds raised in other countries.

To a further question, Mr. Tsur said that should the Israel political parties hold their own drives in the U.S. — after the proposed ending of Jewish Agency allocations to the parties — they would presumably have to make similar arrangements to comply with the U.S. regulations.

Knesset Mission Invited to Mexico

Jerusalem Post Reporter

The Mexican parliamentary delegation now visiting Israel has invited Knesset representatives to one of two national ceremonies in Mexico this year: either for the 50th anniversary of the Mexican Revolution in November, or for the 150th anniversary of Mexican independence in September.

The invitation was extended to the Knesset Speaker, Mr. Kadish Luz, it was announced yesterday by the head of the delegation, Senator Manuel Moreno Sanchez, at a press conference in Jerusalem's King David Hotel.

The mission arrived last Thursday during a tour of some 23 states, and has decided to remain in Israel three days more than scheduled. It will cross into Jordan through Mandelbaum Gate on Thursday. The purposes of the delegation's tour were to extend invitations for the Mexican ceremonies and to accept past invitations from the various states to the Mexican parliament, the Senator declared.

The delegation, which is the guest of the Foreign Ministry, also comprises Senators Guillermo Ibarra and Carlos Roman Calia, and Deputies Leopoldo Gonzalez Saenz, and Moises Ochoa Campos.

Israel Wins

(Continued from Page One)

this match was 21-year-old Aharon Amar of Haifa Maccabi. Inserted into the side by trainer Giula Mandy at the last minute, Amar was everywhere, tackling hard, shooting away in front of goal and somehow also giving valuable support to the attack. Haifa Maccabi's Abraham Menemil also played a good game and was best in the Israel attack. Lefkovitch was a calm and effective stopper. Goldstein, Steinach, Rafi Levy and Mordkovitch played their worst international games in a long time.

The colourful crowd on this sunny afternoon was interspersed with a number of Greek Orthodox priests standing out in their black habits and flowing black beards. The American Ambassador and Greek Consul were among the guests in the V.I.P. enclosure.

The Israel team played in blue shirts and white shorts, the Greeks in white shirts and blue shorts. The game was refereed by Mr. Daoud Mazziri, of Persia.

Order at the stadium on this occasion left nothing to be desired. The number of gendarmes has been doubled, preventing a repeat of the crushing bar which this stadium was previously so famous. Police controlled the roads to the stadium, and there were no traffic jams either way.

The line-ups were:

ISRAEL: Cherkovski, Mizrahi, Mordkovitch, Amar, Lefkovitch, Tisch, Menemil, Steinach (capt.), R. Levy, Goldstein, Glazer.

GREECE: Tsoukaridis, Kanellopoulos (capt.), Stefanakis, Lazaridis, Liberakis, Mavridis, Papadopoulos, Papadopoulos, Tsoukalas, Karagiorgis, Skiadas.

Clerks to Discuss Severance Pay Tax

TEL AVIV. — The national convention of the Histadrut Clerks' Union, which opens here tonight, will discuss a resolution protesting the decision of the Ministerial Economic Committee to levy income tax on severance pay. This was disclosed at a press conference here on Sunday by Mr. Yehoshua Levi, chairman of the Union, and by Mr. Avi Cohen, chairman of the convention's steering committee. The Union has a membership of 72,700.

The agenda will also include a resolution urging the re-evaluation of the basis for seniority pay, which has remained unchanged despite the increases in basic salaries and cost-of-living allowances.

A total of 161 delegates will attend the convention. They consist of: 72 Mapai; 32 Ahdut Avoda; 32 Mapam; 20 Oved Hatsair; 9 General Zionists; 4 Communists; 3 Religious Workers; 29 Hacoal Hamerkazi; and 18 Poalei Agudat Yisrael.

Eilatis Strike For Tax Exemption

EILAT. — All business came to a standstill here for one hour yesterday in protest against the Treasury's declared intention to reduce Eilatis tax exempt income from IL400 to IL200.

Only essential services were operated during the one-hour protest strike organised by workers' committees with the backing of the Municipal Councillors of all parties and the Members of the Labour Council.

IL150 Fine For Drawing Swastika

HAIFA. — For drawing a swastika on a wall in Feisal Square last October, Gabi Tawil, a Christian Arab, was yesterday fined IL150 by Magistrate S. Razi, with the alternative of a month's jail.

Tawil drew the swastika on the wall of a garage where he is employed.

Beduin Robbers Take 61 Sheep

BEERSHEBA. — Four armed Beduin on Saturday drove off an 11-year-old shepherd and made off with 61 sheep belonging to the Abu Rekeye tribe. The sheep were grazing near Tel Arad, in the Eastern Negev.

The boy ran home and spread the alarm, but the pursuit party organised by the tribe was too late to do anything about the theft.

Police do not rule out the possibility that the Beduin had infiltrated from across the border. Damage is estimated at IL8,000.

Tourists Flock To Tiberias Springs

TIBERIAS. — More foreign tourists than ever are taking the baths at the hot springs here this season, Mr. Moshe Meiri, manager of the springs told the press on Sunday.

During the past two months some 400 visitors from abroad had arrived and stayed for an average of 20 days each. Another 500 guests are expected between now and the end of the month.

This is also a record season for Israel visitors, with a 40 per cent increase over last year's figures already recorded. Moreover, the springs company will for the first time be able to pay dividends to its shareholders, Mr. Meiri disclosed.

Forty groups of tourists from Scandinavia and Italy have already booked reservations for later this year, and the Galei Kinneret and Galei Hamat hotels have reserved half their accommodation for foreign visitors.

11-year-old Rescues Tot As Wall Collapses

Jerusalem Post Reporter

KFAR SABA. — An 11-year-old boy, Avraham Nahir, saved a two-year-old child from being buried under a wall which collapsed in the Aliya housing estate here on Sunday.

The two-year-old, Moshe Walder, was playing near a wall of a synagogue now being built on the estate. Avraham was the first person to notice that the wall had started to crumble. In spite of the obvious danger, he dashed over to the child, picked him up, and scurried to safety moments before the wall collapsed.

Avraham is a fifth grade pupil at the Government school here. The Chairman of the Local Council, Mr. Mordechai Shtein, yesterday presented him with a letter of commendation for his courage, and gave him an album of Kfar Saba. In addition, Avraham will receive all his school books free this year.

Carcass of She-Wolf Close to Hunt for Child

Jerusalem Post Reporter

TIBERIAS. — The carcass of a she-wolf killed by police trackers near Kiryat Shmona on Saturday has been sent for examination to Abu Kabir to determine whether the animal was connected with the disappearance of two-year-old Haim Wahnin.

The child has been missing since last Monday, when he went out with playmates near his home in Kiryat Shmona. It is feared he may have fallen prey to wild animals.

The she-wolf was shot by two brothers, Mahmud Musa, 23, and Mohammed Musa, 21, who are experienced hunters. They set an ambush, using a lamb as a decoy, and lay in wait for two consecutive nights. At 10 p.m. Saturday they saw two wolves approaching and managed to shoot one of them. The other escaped.

The brothers believe that the she-wolf, which they bagged, was a member of a pack which came from Lebanon and is roaming the rocky terrain around the northern border.

The animal measured 1.5 metres (to the tip of his tail) and weighed 30 kilos.

Showers in North Forecast Today

Jerusalem Post Staff

The Chief Rabbinate in Jerusalem on Sunday issued a call to worshippers to recite special prayers for rain, on the Fast of Esther — next Thursday, as the unseasonal drought remained unbroken.

The meteorological service at Lydda airport said last night it had received no reports during the day of any rainfall, but forecast thunderstorms in the north today, accompanied by showers which may later spread to the central part of the country.

Hundreds of Israelis from all parts of the country who yesterday commemorated the anniversaries of the birth and death of Moses — 7th Adar — at the tomb of Shimon Bar Yohai, at Meron, also offered up prayers for rain.

A sandstorm was yesterday reported from the Beersheba region, for the third consecutive day, and further sandstorms in the Negev are likely.

Temperatures today will generally be a degree or two below those of yesterday.

Mapai Broadens Central C'ttee

Jerusalem Post Reporter

TEL AVIV. — Significant changes in the inner structure of Mapai were adopted at a meeting of the Standing Committee here yesterday.

Chairman M. Argov's proposals, confirmed by the Committee, raise the number of members in the Central Committee Party, from 160 to 200, in an effort to give representation to all professional, social and economic elements in the country.

Two-thirds of the new Central Committee members will be elected by the Ninth Party Convention to meet on March 28. The remaining third will be named by the Standing Committee.

Tankus Named Sea School Commandant

Jerusalem Post Reporter

HAIFA. — Alef Shmuel Tankus, who last week resigned as O.C. Navy, was on Sunday officially appointed Commandant of the Nautical College in Acre.

In a statement to the press, the Board of Governors announced that Alef Tankus would take up his new post on April 1. He replaces Captain Karios Levi, who handed the school for nine years. Captain Levi had asked leave to retire a year ago, the statement said. He has now been appointed Eilat Port Manager.

Knesset Gets Belgian Statesman's Portrait

A portrait painting of the venerable Belgian statesman, Dr. Camille Huysmans, has been presented to the Knesset by the Belgian Jewish philanthropist, M. Raoul Goldmann.

The painting, which was executed by a Belgian artist, was handed over last week by M. Goldmann to the Israel Ambassador in Belgium, Mr. Gideon Raphael, in the presence of Dr. Huysmans.

Haifa Street Vendor Boss on Bribe Charge

HAIFA. — Thirteen charges of arranging bribes, obtaining money under false pretences, theft and forgery were filed in the District Court on Sunday against Moshe Yitshak, Chairman of the Street Vendors Association in Haifa.

According to the prosecution, he solicited sums of IL100 to IL500 from street vendors, during 1955-58, to bribe Town Hall licensing clerks.

Yitshak himself owns a haberdashery stall in Ruhev Herzl.

TEACHER JAILED FOR SPANKING

A teacher at a Jerusalem school, Evi Ashkenazi, 36, was yesterday sentenced by the Jerusalem Magistrate to two weeks' imprisonment and given a two-month suspended sentence for spanking a nine-year-old pupil with a ruler.

The headmaster of the school, Mr. Avraham Cherfa, who testified for the prosecution, said Ashkenazi had been working on probation and had been dismissed when the boy complained that he could not sit down because he had been beaten.

Magistrate Y. Weiner asked for the name of the school not to be published.

WORK BEGAN on Sunday in Acre on a five-storey building in the centre of town. It will house a 40-room hotel, a restaurant, meeting halls, 24 ground-floor shops and 36 apartments.

INDUSTRY FINANCE and COMMERCE

Beduin Badly Hit by Drought

Jerusalem Post Reporter

BEERSHEBA. — The economic situation of the Beduin has seriously deteriorated because of the drought, Military Government officials here stated.

Some 70,000 head of sheep and goats, as well as 10,000 camels, are without pasture and it is feared that their drinking water supply will soon run out, due to the depletion of wells. The Beduin are reluctant, however, to sell their herds for fear that prices will be forced down drastically.

A number of Beduin who were sent to the Negev area last week to pasture their flocks returned a few days later as they were unable to find any fresh grass there. Now is there much prospect of their finding pasture in the north, according to Military Government officials.

Although several hundred Beduin have been working in the Rehovot area for the past two months to supplement their income, it is understood that the Labour Exchanges wish to remove them from the Rehovot area because of the pressure on jobs.

Loan to Buy Flour

Sheikh Hasan Abu Rabaya told The Jerusalem Post that many of his people asked him for a loan of IL22 to buy their flour ration. On the other hand, hundreds of Beduin are queuing up with the necessary IL100 following a Military Government announcement that it would exchange old-type rifles for new ones for Beduin who hold a permit.

A preliminary investigation by Dr. Ben Ami, of the Ministry of Health, showed a slight increase in the number of cases of malnutrition in the past few months. The Ministry has begun issuing powdered milk to all Beduin children up to the age of 18, and all children who come to the Beduin clinic for treatment are receiving vitamin pills free of charge.

El Al Plans to Fly Own Jets in 1961

Jerusalem Post Reporter

El Al hopes to be operating its own jet airliners in about a year's time, and detailed preparations for the acquisition of two Boeing 707s are to be submitted to the Knesset Finance Committee this week, it is learned.

Preparatory for flying jet aircraft, in collaboration with the Brazilian airline, Varig, until El Al gets its own aircraft, have meanwhile, given more results. Varig has submitted new proposals for the purchase of jet aircraft which, it is understood, are unlikely to meet Israel's requirements.

The Director-General of the Ministry of Transport, Mr. P. Ginsburg, and the Managing Director of El Al, Mr. Y. Ben-Aryeh, are at present in New York negotiating with Varig, and the Brazilian airline's latest proposals are being studied by the Ministries of Finance and Transport.

The Finance Ministry is now also investigating the possibility of obtaining foreign loans for the acquisition by El Al alone of two Boeing 707s. It is estimated that the cost of purchasing the aircraft and training the necessary crew will total about $18m.

Ashkelon Artisans Unite To Fight T.A. Inroads

Jerusalem Post Reporter

ASHKELON. — Trade owners of workshops and light industries in Ashkelon have formed an association to protect themselves against the inroads of Tel Aviv firms.

They are protesting against the giving of contracts for work in Ashkelon to outside firms and complain that even when their tenders are lower than those of the outsiders, the latter get preference.

The new Association already numbers 70 member firms. It is supported by the Municipality and the local Labour Council.

Local Tax Rate Proposals Approved

The Ministry of Finance on Sunday approved reports of the local rate assessments by the Municipal Councils of Bat Yam, Holon, Ramat Gan, Bnei Brak, Petah Tikva, Ramla, Lod, Herzlia, Rishon Lezion, Ashdod, Netanya, Hadera, Tiberias, Ramat Yishai and the district commissions of Beersheba, Ashkelon, Hashfela and Zevulun.

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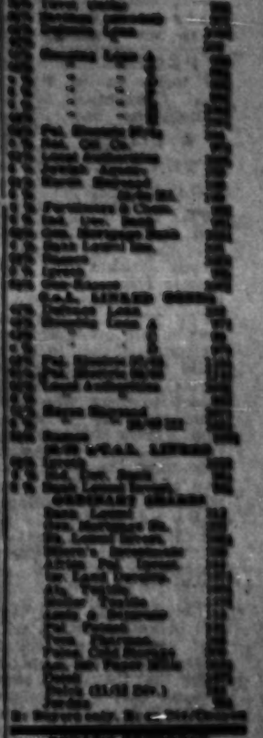

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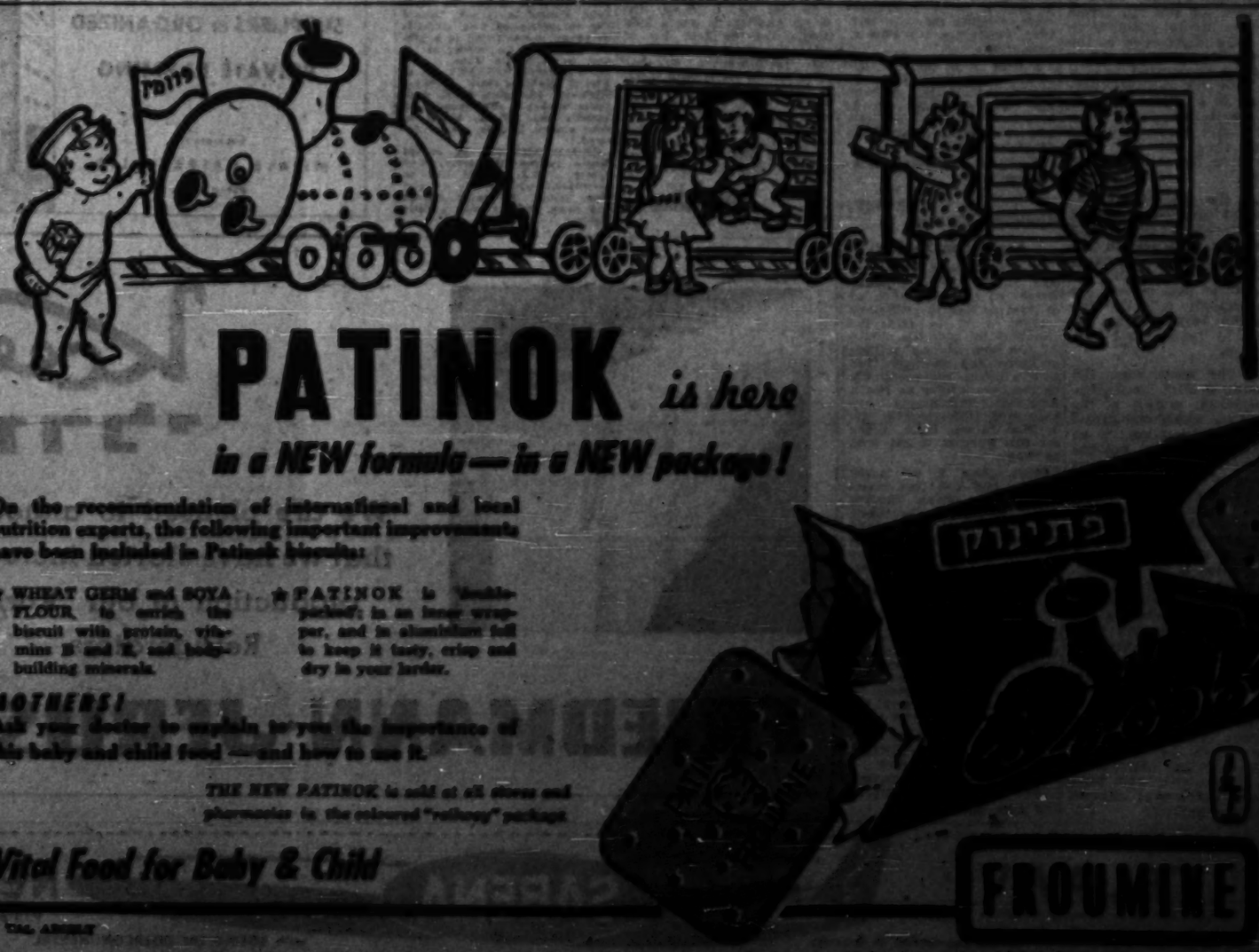

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SPECIAL interest attaches to the 9th annual Convention of the "Americans and Canadians in Israel," which opens in Tel Aviv today. There are still only some 7,000 former Americans and Canadians in Israel, but there has been a steady trickle of newcomers from these countries, a large proportion of them young professional people. All immigrants are welcome if they wish to build their lives here, but special hopes, necessarily, attach to those who come from countries of education, wealth and privilege. Their education should enable them to be productive and make their contribution to the building of the country's life; the privilege they have experienced should give them standards of living towards which to work.

AACI MEETS TODAY

The fact that they have left behind countries with high salary levels, countries of immigration, should mean that they have come because they are Zionists. Their arrival in increasing numbers and successful integration here is also a valuable aid to the morale of other immigrants in difficult circumstances. These tend to believe — especially if they come from Eastern Europe, where emigration to the United States is an old tradition — that if fate had taken them to America instead of to Israel, their street, also, would have been paved with gold.

Fact that this Western immigration is without its problems. This is not a rich country, there are overwhelming national problems, and immigration and adjustment create social tensions and pressures. It is difficult to see why an American citizen with a comfortable background and wide opportunities should seek to exchange all this for a less easy life unless he is genuinely drawn to identify himself with the developing state. Many feel that they wish to retain a temporary status for a lengthy period, to enable them to make up their mind whether they wish to stay. This is not simply a matter of retaining the privileges of a convenient passport. Those who remain "Americans and Canadians in Israel" must accept the added strain of having to renew their decision to remain every morning. It has been said that you cannot make a success of life in Israel with a mental reservation the size of America at the back of your mind. They are not committed to citizenship, to military service or a share in state responsibilities and dangers, and they often feel that they are not fully accepted by those around them.

On the other hand permanent integration cannot be enforced by decree and there is injustice in the new regulation cancelling severance pay rights in respect of past service for government officials discharged because they decline to take Israel citizenship.

In the same way, the housing project for North-Americans, much of the funds for which were raised by the Association, is an admirable project, but the Association sometimes makes it sound as though other young people in Israel could get city flats without huge down payments. It is even open to question whether the best way to integration is for these immigrants to live together in seclusion. Young wives, in particular, who do not go out to jobs, will have little contact with the rest of Israel there.

Those who come to Israel because that was what they hoped and wished to do should not consider their journey completed until they cease to think of themselves as Americans and Canadians, and have become permanent citizens of this country.

LETTER FROM PARIS

By ISRAEL NEUMANN

Thaw at the Quai d'Orsay

"POURRIEZ-vous nous dire, Monsieur le Ministre..." Ten to twenty foreign correspondents sit in the renovated conference room of the Quai d'Orsay and put their questions to M. Baradue, the French Foreign Ministry spokesman. Very often the answer will be: "No comment." In such cases it is an unwritten rule here not to insist, and to refrain from trying to get the answer by attacking the problem in a round-about way.

The smiling M. Baradue and his keen-witted deputy, Counsellor Pons, are in any case too sharp to be outflanked, and not in vain do journalists among themselves refer to M. le Ministre as to "le porte-silence," something like "the silence man," instead of "le porte-parole," which of course means "the spokesman."

Some time ago a journalist flagrantly broke the unwritten rule, insisting on trying to learn the exact date of Mr. Khrushchev's arrival in Paris before it was revealed officially. Then he made a last desperate effort: "Monsieur le Ministre, I must absolutely get the answer; I am planning my vacation and I cannot make final arrangements until I know the Khrushchev visit time-table..." Loud laughter greeted this question.

Significant Evasiveness

This is of course a humorous instance of journalistic persistence. But a correspondent may sometimes insist, repeating a question in different forms although he knows well in advance that the chances of getting an answer are nil. The tone of the refusal, its terms and context, may be revealing in themselves and reflect the state of mind of the high officials briefing the spokesman, who may in his private life oppose Government policy on certain problems, but "loses his personality" and becomes a true reflection of another mind the moment he is seated with journalists in the conference room.

On several occasions in the past few months the terms and the tone in which Quai d'Orsay spokesmen commented on Middle Eastern affairs and on Franco-Israel ties revealed a certain tendency to present Franco-Israel relations as not particularly warm. This did not impair the smooth cooperation between France and Israel in different fields, but coming after the Renault affair it might have been interpreted as an unpleasant symptom.

One is justified in believing that some time ago a very high French authority issued a directive that nothing should be done to harm Israel's vital interests, and that cooperation between the two countries should continue in different fields, but that at the same time needless demonstrations of friendship, which could be misconstrued, should be avoided.

There is nothing particularly threatening from the Israel point of view about these directives, unless the second part is overemphasized and the first neglected. Unfortunately, certain officials seemed to show a bias in this direction. One could not but regret the tone of the Quai d'Orsay spokesman's comment on the signing of the Franco-Israel cultural agreement. On occasions like this it is customary to speak in terms — which are often nothing but perfunctory phrases — of "constantly developing friendship and cooperation"; on this particular instance, however, the spokesman made a special effort to emphasize the absolute lack of political implications of the agreement. It is true that the Quai d'Orsay delayed the signing of the accord for many months, until it got an unequivocal order from the President himself.

Change of Tone

The regrettable tendency of official spokesmen to minimize France's sympathy and friendship for Israel seems to have disappeared, however, during the recent crisis between Israel and the U.A.R. This time both the Quai d'Orsay and the official radio and television stations left no doubt in the minds of their listeners as to who was responsible for the deterioration of the situation and who had France's sympathy.

One cannot speak of a change of mind, since Franco-Israel cooperation had not been affected, but one may speak of an improvement in the tone, which has its significance and value. This has probably been brought about by several factors and reflects an increased clarity in the outlook of certain Quai d'Orsay officials.

In recent weeks Israel has made her voice heard on the French scene with increased authority. Mrs. Golda Meir visited Paris, and her prolonged talk with M. Couve de Murville doubtless played an important part in clarifying some important aspects of the Middle East situation; the filling of a lamentable gap by the nomination of Mr. Walter Eytan as Ambassador in France was another factor. The clear terms in which President de Gaulle expressed his sympathy for Israel when receiving the Ambassador's credentials left no doubts as to the real feelings of the man to whom all officials, low and high, owe allegiance.

Last but not least was the recent Paris visit of Mr. Shimon Peres; it seems that the frank and outspoken approach of the Deputy Minister of Defence once more impressed his French interlocutors, including the Ministers he met, as well as the declared and undeclared opposition leaders, ranging from M. Pierre Mendes-France on the left to M. Jacques Soustelle on the right.

But it may have been Colonel Nasser himself who, by his deeds, helped more than anyone else to convince these French personalities who had certain illusions about the matter that what is sometimes called "the Israel mortgage" is far from the main element in Franco-Egyptian divergences. It is in Africa — and particularly in Algeria—that the ambitions of the Egyptian dictator clash with French interests. It is Nasser who is exerting pressure on the Algerian rebel leadership in his wish to prolong the Algerian war while General de Gaulle tries to bring about a cease-fire.

Britain has re-established diplomatic relations with Cairo without giving in to blackmail at the expense of Israel; and if France has failed so far to reopen its Embassy in Cairo, the cause is simply Nasser's wish to continue to ride the horse of "anti-imperialism," with France playing the role of villain in his demagogy. The recent Cairo broadcast describing President de Gaulle as a "tyrant" and a "bloodthirsty dog" is only one of many proofs of Cairo's true intentions.

France's responsible leaders remain interested in a strong, prosperous and peaceful Israel. The only difference is that they are perhaps more willing today than in recent months to proclaim this openly. But it is quite a difference.

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Resort to Secret Diplomacy

Ha'aretz (non-party) dwells on Mr. Ben-Gurion's coming trip abroad which will be an arduous one, and wishes him the strength to see it through successfully.

Hatzofeh (General Zionist) notes that the "open covenants" period of President Wilson's times has failed and the world has long ago reverted to the system of secret diplomacy. No wonder, then, that our Government clothes the aims of Mr. Ben-Gurion's coming trip in generalizations.

Lamerhav (Ahdut Ha'avoda) objects to the proposed 25 per cent tax on workers' severance pay, which comes on top of attempts to strike at the workers' pay envelope in other ways because the tax authorities have found it impossible to fatten collections from the self-employed.

Al Hamishmar (Mapam) also raps the new proposals.

Herut laughs at both Mapam and Ahdut Ha'avoda for registering vehement protests in their party organs while they themselves participate in the Government.

Ma'ariv finds more than meets the eye in the Government-Histadrut controversy over the income tax reform proposals and the recently imposed indirect taxes. It so happens that the Government failed in both cases to consult the Histadrut, and the latter is now determined to scotch an obvious precedent.

DUTCH REMEMBER NAZI PEST

By HENRIETTE BOAS
Jerusalem Post Correspondent

AMSTERDAM. — SEVERAL measures are being taken in Holland to make young people of secondary school age more aware of what happened during the German occupation of the country.

This year was the first time teen-agers participated in commemorating the anniversary of the strike of February 25-26, 1941—when part of Amsterdam's workers struck in protest against the first deportations of Jews. Delegations of pupils at various Amsterdam secondary schools attended the annual wreath-laying by the Mayor of Amsterdam at the foot of the "Stevedore" statue in Jonas Daniel Meyer Square.

The Mayor, Mr. G. van Hall, who himself played an active part in the resistance movement, recalled that through the deportations of Jews Amsterdam had lost one-eighth of its population.

Meanwhile, several popular booklets are to be published shortly on the Nazi occupation of Holland, written specially with a view to young people.

Commemorative Album

One, "A Nation Oppressed and Resisting," by J. W. Rengelink and I. Mug, is to be printed in 60,000 copies under the auspices of the National Committee for celebrating Liberation Day, 1960. It will be distributed by the Amsterdam Municipality among the pupils of the city's secondary schools, and among elementary school teachers. The preface will be written by the Secretary-General of the Ministry of Education.

A photo-album "Then... 1940-45," will be published in 40,000 copies by the Government Institute for War Documentation. The photographs were selected from among some 100,000 pictures in the Institute's archives.

At least two other publications are planned, intended for the same public.

On the occasion of the 25th Annual Dutch Book Week, on April 1, Rotterdam's booksellers will patronize the performance of a new tragedy by the Dutch author, Max Croiset, entitled "Chain Reaction." It deals with the Jews during the Nazi occupation of Holland.

AT THE CINEMA

Deep Human Interest

Lonelyhearts (Or-Gil, Jerusalem) is Dore Schary's rewrite of a brilliant but almost unknown novel, "Miss Lonelyhearts," by the late Nathaniel West, written in the days before best-sellers and book-of-the-month promotion gimmicks. West's off-beat hero was a poor reporter who is finally assigned to the agony column, writing advice to the crippled and lovelorn, in the cynical atmosphere of the city desk. His compassion so involves him with his correspondence that he is slowly and agonizingly drawn to his doom. Schary has changed and softened the main lines of the book and made it into a little essay on the necessity to forgive adultery rather than to ruin two lives over it. The cast is well drawn and generally manages not to over-act: Robert Ryan, matured out of mobster roles, is the hard-bitten editor, and veteran Myrna Loy is superb as his long-suffering wife. Jackie Coogan (once Chaplin's "Kid" and now bald and paunchy) makes a brilliant if brief reappearance as a city desk hack. But it is Montgomery Clift as the reporter, blinking, staring, ducking and sniffing, who dominates this quiet but sensitive film.

M.R.

American Settlers Try Self-Help

Drive for More Immigrants from U.S. and Canada

By ELIEZER WHARTMAN

THREE hundred and fifty delegates, representing over 2,500 American and Canadian families living all over the country, from Kfar Blum to Eilat, will gather this evening in the EOA House in Tel Aviv to participate in the ninth annual convention of the Association of Americans and Canadians in Israel. The convention will be the largest so far for the Association that held its first meeting in 1951, convened by a handful of men and women to consider ways of assisting Americans and Canadians to settle in Israel.

Until two years ago, the Association was something of a stepchild, ignored by the national institutions and the American and Canadian Zionist organizations. (Some of the latter still are apparently unaware of its existence.) Unlike the South Americans and, to some extent, the British immigrants, who had a strong Zionist Federation behind them which looked after their interests, the Americans and Canadians had been completely on their own. The writer was a witness to the indifference which was shown to American and Canadian members of Mahal — in contrast to the South Africans — which resulted in many of them returning disillusioned to their homes, where their experiences had a dampening effect on others.

Many Israelis are under the impression that every American who comes to Israel is either a millionaire or the son-in-law of one. They tend to forget that in many instances the immigrant spent his last cent moving himself and his family here.

B-G's Blessing

Although in America it is possible to rent or buy an apartment with a small down payment and get a long-term, low interest mortgage to finance the balance, it is impossible to do this in Israel. The first major problem that confronted the Association was, therefore, to provide adequate housing within the means of the new settlers. Some small projects were launched, but it soon became clear that a new source of funds had to be tapped. The AACI finally secured permission from the Government to allow it to raise mortgage funds by approaching American and Canadian holders of Israel bonds and getting them to invest these bonds — at a higher rate of interest — in housing for Western settlers in Israel.

Recognizing the need for professional and technical aliya from America, and the need to make it physically possible for the newcomers to settle here, Mr. Ben-Gurion gave his blessing to the project: "Anyone aiding immigration from the West to Israel," he wrote, "is rendering a distinctive service to the country. I am greatly pleased that the Association has taken the initiative in this respect and I wish it every success."

Mrs. Golda Meir, herself a former American, warmly endorsed the project: "I know full well," she stated, "that it is not enough to make speeches and issue calls for immigration from the West; definite measures must be taken to facilitate the settlement of Americans and Canadians in Israel. Here the provision of housing is the decisive factor. At this time, when the Israel Government is burdened by so many pressing obligations, the initiative of the Association in dedicating itself to this goal is to be warmly welcomed."

Housing Problem

Additional support was forthcoming from the Jewish Agency in New York—which now assumes a major part of the Association's annual budget. For the first large-scale AACI housing project, now being built in Jerusalem, the Association raised $100,000 in American investments and this was matched by the Jewish Agency; additional funds were made available by the Ministry of Labour, and a large sum was raised by the settlers themselves. It is expected that similar projects will be undertaken in Tel Aviv, Haifa and Rehovot. The AACI mortgage fund has also allocated considerable amounts to settlers who make their own provision for housing. (This is in addition to the regular loan fund which the Association makes available to its members for periods of six months to two years at a reasonable rate of interest.)

The Association maintains a counselling service for immigrants, providing them with help in clearing Customs, securing employment, transferring their possessions and currency, investing and registering for ulpanim. Last year over 2,000 interviews were held with new and would-be settlers who came in for advice. In addition to the national office, which is located at 78 Rehov Ben Yehuda in Tel Aviv, each major city has its own branch which provides help for its members and also runs a well-rounded cultural and social programme. Now that many of the initial settlement problems have been overcome, the branches will play a more active role in cooperation with local and national institutions and organizations concerning with general welfare problems.

More Aliya Expected

One of the more interesting developments of the Association has been the organizing of retired residents in Israel. It is estimated that there are at least 500 of them receiving Social Security and other pension payments, who represent a solid dollar income to the State. Scores of inquiries reach the Association monthly from pensioners who are interested in the possibility of spending their last years here, and as time goes on, they will probably constitute a growing percentage of Western aliya — which last year represented three per cent of the overall total. In addition to the funds they bring in, they, of course, also possess skills and experience which can be utilized by local industry.

Some of the Association's members still, unfortunately, tend to regard themselves as permanent "temporary" residents. A few demand privileges not accorded to other groups. But, by and large, the Association represents a group of sincere, dedicated men and women who have thrown in their lot — and are building their homes and their future — with Israel.

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Readers' Letters

AMERICAN SETTLERS

Editor, The Jerusalem Post

Sir, — For the forthcoming convention of American and Canadian settlers in Israel, I should like to suggest:

1. A special department should be created, with sufficient funds from the U.J.A., staffed only with American and Canadian personnel, to deal with immigration and absorption of North American settlers in Israel.

2. In all government tourist offices, some of the personnel should be from North America, so as to be in close contact with them as soon as they arrive.

3. The social and charitable institutions founded by North American Jewry should be open to them for employment, whether they are tourists, temporary residents or immigrants.

I hope it is not too late to start something bold and new in the direction of helping those who are already here to stay, as well as those who must come from North American shores.

Here's to a successful convention.

Yours, etc.
N. KOVITS
Givatayim, February 27.

Association Replies

We can only say that we find all Mr. Kovits's points worthy of implementation or at least further investigation.

Point 1 is in fact the situation as concerns South African and British settlers in Israel and we hope that such a set-up will eventually be the case insofar as North American immigrants are concerned. Unfortunately, the decision to use U.J.A. funds for this purpose is not ours to make.

With point 2 we agree and in fact feel that many government offices dealing with tourists or investors, and not just the tourist offices, should have North American personnel. There is North American personnel working in various offices but this is not a fixed policy.

As far as point 3 is concerned, this is again a question of policy which must be agreed to by the boards of the various social and charitable institutions founded by North American Jewry but we certainly agree in principle.

MURRAY GREENFIELD
Executive Director,
Association of Americans and Canadians in Israel
Tel Aviv, March 3.

VANISHING TICKETS

Editor, The Jerusalem Post

Sir, — The article by Ya'acov Friedler on "vanishing tickets" (in your issue of February 19) gives only one proof of the unhealthy situation with regard to the purchase of tickets for certain performances.

I should like to cite another example. When the first performances of "The Marriage of Figaro" were announced (after the gala performance, tickets for which were beyond my means), my friend and I queued up on the first day of sale to I.P.O. subscribers and reached the ticket-window at 5.15 in the afternoon. We were offered: in the IL10 price range — a seat in row 27 and in the IL8 price range — a seat in row 26.

As far as I know, the Mann Auditorium seats 3,000 people. On the first day of sale, tickets were sold for four performances, so that there should have been 12,000 of them available. The IL10 tickets were listed as the most expensive and it is really hard to understand that the best one could get for this price was a seat in row 27. Can the I.P.O. explain this?

Yours, etc.
Y. WERTHEIMER
Holon, February 19.

Orchestra Replies

There were three box offices and it may have been that the particular box office before which your correspondent queued had sold out its good seats rapidly (although row 27, which is the third row of the balcony, is considered good) and that better places might have been obtainable at the other two stands.

We can only add that people started to line up very early in the morning and therefore it is not unlikely that by 5.15 in the afternoon the better seats in the various price ranges had already been snapped up.

ABE COHEN
The Israel Philharmonic Orchestra
Tel Aviv, February 29.

PEN FRIENDS

MISS ELEANOR RUBIN, 22, of 305 Palmerest Drive, 16, Daly City, California, U.S.A., would like to correspond with students or young people living in a kibbutz. She will be coming to Israel to settle, in June.

MISS JUDITH SKINNER, 21, of Flat 27, McInnes Court, 41 Anzac Highway, Plympton, South Australia, wishes to correspond with Israelis and will be happy to send stamps if they are so desired.

ARNOLD ABLUKE, 12, of 427 Maple Avenue, Westmont, New Jersey, U.S.A., would like to correspond with a boy or girl from Israel. He saves stamps and coins. He can read a little Hebrew.

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